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**SUPPLEMENTAL AMENDMENT**  
**FOLLOWING INTERVIEW OF DECEMBER 9, 2003**

## Mail Stop Non-Fee Amendment

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Dear Sir:

On April 15, 2003, Applicants filed a response to the Office Action of January 15, 2003. On December 9, 2003, Applicants had an interview with Examiner Fredman. This Supplemental Amendment reflects the understandings reached during the interview.

Amendments to the claims begin on page 2 of this paper.